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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
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SERIAL NO: 10/540,003 :  
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FOR: METHOD FOR THE OPTICAL :  
CHARACTERIZATION OF  
MATERIALS WITHOUT USING A  
PHYSICAL MODEL

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.